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AFTER THE FIRE! We are still doing business at the old stand.

COME AND SEE US Lytle & Eckels Hardware Co.

HERE THEY GO! HANAN & SON'S Gent's Fine Shoes.

Excursion RATES. \$6.00 Calf Shoes Cut to \$4.00. \$7.00 Patent Leather Shoes all go now at \$5.00.

The Largest Line of Ladies' Oxfords in Decatur, 76c to \$4.00. WAGGONER & DOWNING, Post Office Shoe Store.

YOU CAN TAKE COMFORT In a room that seems not only to invite you to walk in but stay in. To have any other kind of a room is worse than absurd when we are selling Easy Chairs and Parlor Goods at such Extremely Low Prices as at present, either for Cash or on Easy Payments.

BACHMAN BROS. & MARTIN CO., 210-248 East Main Street. SUBSCRIPTIONS TO THE 23d SERIES Of the Capital Stock. People's Savings and Loan Association.

WASHINGTON, D. C., AUG. 1, 1892. The Democratic platform declares that the Democratic party favors the repeal of the law taxing state banks 10 per cent on their issue which has so effectively stamped out the old wildcat state bank currency which is tantamount to declaring in favor of retaining that most vicious financial system, but Judge Altgeld does not propose to take any of the medicine he as a Democratic leader prescribes for the people, but on the contrary put into his state a clause requiring payment in sterling gold coin of the United States. This is the kind of man who is asking for the votes of the people.

Disunionist Panegyric: John R. Tanner announces that he will decline the position tendered to him upon the national Republican committee. Mr. Tanner tendered his declination at the meeting of the committee in New York a week ago last Saturday, but at the time it was not known that he was declining the position.

Who is the Real Friend of Labor? The Democratic press, or rather that part of the Democratic press that by encouraging every feature of anarchy and socialism, is the friend of labor.

The Republican press does not know Mr. Frick, neither does it recognize the Amalgamated Association of Iron and Steel Workers. The Republican press recognizes in the present controversy only the employer and the employee. While it recognizes Mr. Frick's rights under the constitution and the laws it also recognizes the rights of the Association under the constitution and the laws, but it does not recognize the rights of either to transcend laws.

Do You Know It? A common cough, is the most dangerous thing in the world to neglect; a slight hacking cough is also very dangerous, as it always leads to Bronchitis and Consumption. Don't neglect them. In seeking a remedy for cough, cold, Bronchitis, be sure and get one that is not full of Opium and one that will not produce Constipation. Ballard's Horehound Syrup does not constipate, remember this. It is perfectly harmless for children, and it's the most soothing and healing remedy in the world.

ROYAL RUBY PORT WINE. The feeblest constitution, the more susceptible the system is to the causes of disease, and the more susceptible the system is to the causes of disease, and the more susceptible the system is to the causes of disease.

That Your Hair may retain its youthful color, fullness, and beauty, dress it daily with Ayer's Hair Vigor. It cleanses the scalp, cures humors, and stimulates a new growth of hair.

75.00 ROUND TRIP. Grand Excursion to Niagara Falls and Return, via Toronto, St. Louis & Kansas City, Lake Shore & Michigan Southern and New York Central Railroads.

Good Looks are more than skin deep depending upon a healthy condition of all the vital organs. If the Liver be unclean, the blood is impure, and the skin is discolored.

A Sound Liver Makes a Well Man. Are you Bilious, Constipated or troubled with Jaundice, Sick Headache, Bad Taste in Mouth, Foul Breath, Constipation, Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Hot Flashes, Nervousness, etc.?

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THE ARCADE. Corner North Main street and Lincoln Square. EVERY STREET CAR RUNS TO THIS CORNER. Dress Calicoes 4c yd. Dry Goods Department.

FOR SALE! This residence and office property in Roswell, Kansas, eighteen miles west of Topeka, is situated in the best and most thickly settled part of the Kansas River Valley, and is a fine location for a physician and druggist.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE. ONE JOLLY NIGHT. WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 3. Richards & Pringle's FAMOUS GEORGIA MINSTRELS, Billy Kersands, Colored Star Artists, GREAT GAUZE AND THE CRESCENT CITY QUARTETTE.

IT-DOES PAY-U TO CALL ON H. TAY UPHOLSTERY LINE. For anything in the way of Upholstery, we are prepared to do it at the lowest prices.

How to Get a Farm! I HAVE FOR SALE 30 splendid quarter sections of land with a 10 mile line of Imperial, rich soil and rich, and the land is well watered.

IF YOU WANT light, sweet, white, wholesome BREAD. KIRK'S BEST XXXX BREAD. is the finest flour made.

KIRK'S BEST XXXX BREAD. is the finest flour made. MORRIS CLARK & SONS, Genl. Agts. Application for Pardon. Notice is hereby given that on or after July 27, 1892, application will be made to the Court of the County of Boone and State of Illinois, for a pardon for the crime of murder.

The Largest Variety OF CHINESE MATTINGS. Carpets, Curtains, Refrigerators, Gasoline Stoves, Furniture. At the Lowest Prices. On Your Own Terms. G. W. SCOVILL, 211-215 South Park Street. COMPLETE HOUSE FURNISHER ON EASY PAYMENTS.

SPECIAL CHEAP SALES During the Dull Season. No Humbug or Clap-Trap—Strictly Business. Fortunately we are not loaded down with heavy expenses. Having one of the largest and best warehouses in the city, in the very center of trade, we are so fixed that we can make Lower Prices than obtain elsewhere.

S. G. HATCH & BRO., 151 East Main Street. WM. M. BALDRIDGE & CO., REAL & ESTATE, Loan and Insurance Agents.

DECATUR, ILL. PRESERVE YOUR EYES. JAMES THOMAS, Practical Optician in the detection and correction of all visual imperfections by the proper use of spectacles.

Master in Chancery's Sale. STATE OF ILLINOIS, IN SENATE. Abraham W. Conklin, Jr. vs. Simpson H. Downs et al. Bill for Foreclosure.

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WALTER & WALTER Loans and Investments. MONEY. On hand for all classes of loans. A full line of insurance and burglary in Real Estate. JAPANESE FILE CURE. A New and Complete Treatment, consisting of the use of the Japanese File, for the cure of all kinds of skin diseases.

OTTENHEIMER & CO.

Outing Silk Stripe Shirts, sizes 14 to 17½, at \$1.00.
Good Quality of Light Weight Fancy Madras Shirts, 75c.
The Best Cheviot Outing Cloth Shirts, well made, cut large, at 50c.
White and Fancy Shirts of Every Description.
Maiden Full Dress Shirts, White Silk Fronts, Puff Bosoms.
AT CUT PRICES.

MEN'S STRAW HATS, LOTS OF THIN COATS, Thin Coats and Vests. Underwear and Summer Furnishings. All Light-Weight and Light Colored Suits at CLOSING PRICES.

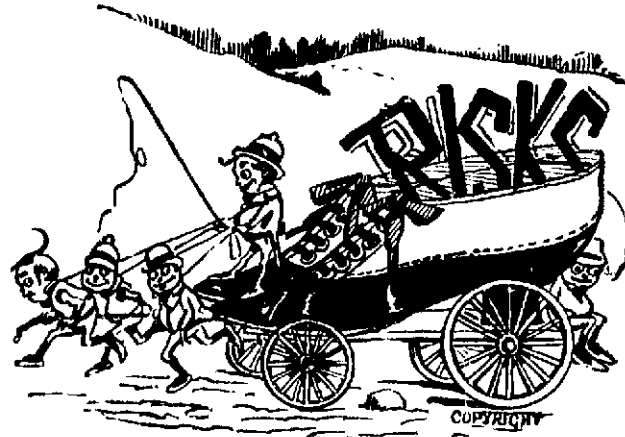
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Leaders of Men's and Boys' Wearing Apparel,
Masonic Temple Block, Corner of Water and William Streets.

Chancery Notice.

IN SENATE, August 1, 1892.
In the case of the State of Illinois, Plaintiff, against the Estate of John A. Ottenger, Defendant.
The court has appointed the following as administrators of the estate of John A. Ottenger, deceased: John A. Ottenger, Jr., and John A. Ottenger, Sr.
The court has also appointed the following as executors of the will of John A. Ottenger, deceased: John A. Ottenger, Jr., and John A. Ottenger, Sr.
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ST. Nicholas Hotel
CHAS. LACK, Proprietor.
Corner of Water and William Streets, Decatur, Ill.



RUNNING RISKS IN SHOES.

It is easy to guard against doing anything of the kind—risks weren't made to wear. A shoe that you like is worth all you pay for it every time; the shoe that you don't is a good thing to get rid of rapidly. You won't be anxious to get rid of our GENTS' \$2 SHOE. A cheaper shoe you'll never wear.

W. F. BUSH
152 East Main Street.

SWEETING * REDUCTIONS

AT O. M. ANSTEAD'S
New Dry Goods House,
211 NORTH WATER STREET.

WE never carry goods over from one season to another. We shall clear our house of all Summer Goods during this, our July Clearing Sale, to make room for our Immense Fall Stock, which will commence to arrive in August.

READ AND MAKE A NOTE OF SOME OF THE BARGAINS WE OFFER:
O. M. ANSTEAD, 211 North Water Street.

- In One Lot all 35 and 50c Fine French Gingham go at 17c
- 100 Pieces White Goods (Novelties), the 15, 20 and 25c kind, go at 9, 12 and 15c.
- 34 " Outing Flannel the regular 10 and 12½c kind, now at 7½c.
- 25 " Challies, the regular 12½c goods, now go at 7c.
- In One Lot, Wool Challies, the 25c kind, we will close at 14c
- 25 Pieces Curtain Serim, the regular 10 and 12½c kind, all at 4½c
- 500 pairs Nottingham Lace Curtains 75c and \$1.00 per pair, being Half Price.
- 25 pieces Turkey Red Table Damask, colors fast, go at 22c, worth 40 and 50c.
- 50 " Good Twill Crash Towelling, the 6½c kind, at 2½c.
- All of our 50 and 60c Summer Corsets, EVERY PAIR WARRANTED, at 33c.
- 70 doz. Ladies' Past Black Hosiery, the 29 and 25c grades, at 10, 12½ and 15.
- 50 doz. Ladies' Past Black Hosiery, fine grade, the regular 40c kind, 24c.
- 54 doz. Ladies' Fancy Regular Made Hose, the regular 50c kind, Reduced to 25c.
- 32 doz. Ladies' Fine Silk Mitts, Reduced from 40c down to 25c.
- 39 doz. Ladies' Fine Silk Mitts, Reduced from 60 and 65c down to 40c.
- 100 doz. Ladies' Jersey Vests, the regular 15c grade, Reduced to 7c.
- 55 doz. Children's Vests, the regular 10c grade, Reduced to 4c.
- 100 doz. Ladies' Standing Collars, with Capes, the 10c kind at 1c each.
- 55 doz. Ladies' Collars to match, the 12½c kind at 1c per pair.
- 150 doz. White Twill Tapes, all widths, sold usually 2 for 5c, 1c per roll.
- 200 doz. papers good Pins, the 5c kind, 1c a paper.
- 17½ doz. Satin Ribbons, Nos. 5 to 12, all at 5c per yard.
- 500 yards White Donnell Flannels, 32 inches wide, at 4½c, worth 10c.
- 100 Lancaster Quilts, largest size, regular \$1.00 Quilt, now 74c.
- At \$3.75 and \$5.25 we will close out the balance of our WOOL SUIT PATTERNS with Linings, Bones, Buttons and Shields all complete in two lots—\$3.74 and \$5.24.

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DAILY REPUBLICAN.
—USE—
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Combination
JAVA COFFEE.
IT IS THE BEST.
MONDAY EVE., AUG. 1, 1892.

LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

DENZ & SON, Tailors.
SUMMER CORSETS—Anthony & Webb.
Republican club meeting at the court house to-morrow night.
READ O. M. Anstead's Clearing Sale advertisement on this page.
A few barber shops were closed on Sunday. The closing scheme is not unanimous.
HANES & CO., at 143 South Water street, will be pleased to serve you with superior groceries and table delicacies.
GENTS' outing shirts at special bargains. Come and see them at Linn & Scroggie Dry Goods & Carpet Co. d&w
Buy groceries, country butter and fruit at Philip Kemper's handy store, 801 North Water street.
Our Umbrella Sale continues this week. Anthony & Webb.
Two members of Myrtle Temple, Pythian Sisters, will give a basket picnic at Oakland Park on Wednesday afternoon and evening.
Two Grand Opera House organs, made by Kook & Weigand, are the best in town. m&w-dt
On Tuesday evening a lawn social will be given at the residence of Rev. W. C. Miller, No. 327 Prairie avenue. Ice cream and cake will be furnished at 15 cents. Everybody invited.
Once on always on—this is the case with Rock Plaster, as it will not come off even when water is poured on it. Manufactured by Decatur Rock Plaster Co. 2dt
The Loyal Legion entertainment will be held in the basement of the old Presbyterian church August 3d. Admission 10 cents.

LADIES' Jersey Combination Underwear, to close, at 65c a suit, at **ANTHONY & WEBB's.**
A pair of golden color—"The American Drawing," O. St. Louis "A. B. C. Robinson Bottled Beer." Once tried, always used. Geo. W. Kraft, agent. 1t
Two standard Haines upright piano and Packard organs can be had in Decatur only at C. B. Prescott's music parlor. Step in and look at the elegant display of instruments.
SATISFACTION is always guaranteed when you use Rock Plaster the best plastering material made. Manufactured by Decatur Rock Plaster Co. 2dt
Two W. H. Buffers residence on West North street has been sold to Mrs. Addie Owens, a widow of Morrisville, who will soon take possession of the place. The consideration was \$4,400.
SUN UMBRELLAS in great variety, Gloriana, Windsons, Silks, Serges, and Levantines, nobly styled in handles, all Paragon frames, at Linn & Scroggie Dry Goods & Carpet Co's. d&wtf
HEAVY PAIR, the Logan county farmer who was drowned Friday in Deer creek, had his life insured for \$9,000; \$5,000 in the Fidelity of Philadelphia; \$3,000 in the Travelers'; and \$1,000 in the Catholic Order of Foresters. He had \$5,000 in the New York Life but allowed it to lapse on July 3. He owned 240 acres of land, rented 920 acres, and had 150 head of cattle, 50 head of horses and mules, and had a pile of money in the Lincoln bank.

"Or, if I had only taken this medicine earlier in life, what years of suffering it would have saved me!" was the touching exclamation of one who had been cured of rheumatism by the use of Ayer's Sarsaparilla. Scores of such cases are on record.
A. M. PALMER'S "Alabama" company sustained quite a loss when Richards & Pringle engaged the famous "Crescent City Quartette" for their Georgia Minstrel. This quartette of colored singers are without doubt the strongest attraction in a musical point of view for a minstrel company on stage, and together with the great Billy Kerns and the excellent company Richards & Pringle have brought together, will make a magnificent show at the Grand opera house. 1t
\$1.00 for 25c.
The six Teaspoons that we offer for 25c are sold every place for \$1.
E. D. BARTHOLOMEW.
HAMMOCKS.
Hammocks, Hammocks and Hammocks.
We have taken possession of our new store on East Prairie street and are now prepared to furnish the public with everything in the sporting goods line. We have an immense assortment of hammocks which we are selling at remarkably low figures. We have a full line of hammock supplies. Call and see our assortment of hammocks before purchasing elsewhere. H. Muzzan, 6 in O'Neil street. 1t
Removal Sale.
The Abel Carpet & Wall Paper Co. is in its new store on North Water street, just north of Hae's Clothing Co. Moving hurriedly to give Hatch Bros. possession we did not reduce stock as we had intended, therefore we will in the new building for benches sell remnant pieces of carpet and everything less than value. This is the last call. d&wtf
White Mountain Freezers.
Triple motion White Mountain Freezers are the best. We have a few that were discovered on the beach by sea logs, and we will sell at a sacrifice. Now is the time to get the BEST Freezer cheap.

NOT GUILTY.
C. T. Freund Acquitted on the Charge of Insanity.
Saturday evening C. T. Freund, the algarman who has twice been arrested for whipping his wife, was the subject of inquiry in the county court on a charge of insanity lodged by James Jordan. It was thought that Freund had gone crazy because of the excessive hot weather. The jury were Dr. O. R. Allen, J. Wiegand, D. Kellington, J. Songer, F. P. Nelson, R. P. Mullens, J. Q. A. Odor, James Durfee, and Elijah Hampton. After hearing the evidence and after giving the accused a chance to talk, the jury concluded that Freund was sane, and he was acquitted on the charge, the verdict being not guilty. It is said that Freund will be prosecuted for beating his wife.

A Quiet Sunday.
Compared with the Sabbath of the recent past, Sunday was a quiet day, so quiet that the public had to be reminded by public places felt in a measure that Decatur must be losing her grip. There were no camp meetings in progress, no excursion trains rumbling, and for one Sunday at least the street cars were at the service of the town people, with a seat for everybody who saw fit to spin along by electricity. Down at Riverside Park there was a fair sized crowd at 4 o'clock and nearly all remained until 8. The naturatorium was open with the usual number of bathers in the pool, and the merry-go-round was in full operation. The steamers were in demand. Out at Oakland Park a few people gathered to enjoy the shade and to wonder what had become of the water which once formed a lake there; but generally it was a very quiet Sunday, so quiet that no one today is heard making any complaints.

Woodford Saved the Boy.
G. W. Woodford was a hero Saturday evening near the water works dam when he saved from drowning a lad who was in deep water and was struggling for life. Woodford had been in swimming and was standing on the bank, when he heard the despairing cry for help from among the boys in the water. Woodford plunged in and caught the struggling boy by the hair, pulling him out to the bank, where it was necessary to breathe regularly until he was able to breathe regularly. He would not tell his name as he did not want his parents to know that he had been at the river. Woodford stated that it took all the strength he could command to save the life of the boy. He fought vigorously and resented every movement he made.

Short Sermons.
An exchange remarks that the people who need more religion are: The man who lets his horse stand all day in the rain without a blanket; the man who refuses to pay the preacher because he does not preach to suit him; the man who grows like a bear with a sore head when he asks him for money; the woman who whispers it was not some other woman but that she ought to be; the preacher who is always looking for an easier place at a higher salary; the man who walks the street with his hands in his pockets while his wife carries the baby; the man whose neighbors never have an idea he is a Christian; the preacher whose sermons never help anybody; the man who keeps a dog and says he can't afford to take his home paper.

Sunday at the Baptist Church.
A large congregation greeted Rev. C. E. Torrey Sunday morning at the Baptist church, and those there were well paid for their presence by a stirring sermon from their pastor, despite the fact that he was feeling anything but well. Among the announcements of the morning was that of the Baptist C. E. social, which is to be held on Tuesday evening in the lecture room of the church. This is the regular monthly social, and is the purpose to have given at this time a great C. E. convention, which has recently adjourned in New York city. Everybody is cordially invited to be present and spend a pleasant evening.

Fire Arlams.
Saturday evening the fire department was called to Leonard's home, corner of West Court, George and College streets, to extinguish a blaze caused by the burning of a wood shed.
Later another alarm was turned in, but the department failed to find a fire. It was at first reported that the Sangamon Street school house was on fire but there was no truth in the story.
At 10 o'clock at night the firemen were aroused again. The fire was at A. Harpstrite's barn, on Maryland street. Damage \$200; no insurance.

Death at the Hospital.
James Walsh, who has been a patient at St. Mary's hospital during the past eight years, died at the hospital Sunday evening, July 31, at the advanced age of 81 years. He resided last a leg in Mendota county and went to the hospital to spend the remainder of his days. The funeral will take place from St. Patrick's Catholic church to-morrow forenoon at 9 o'clock.
Opposed to Waterworks.
An election on the question of waterworks was held at Effingham on Saturday. The project was defeated by a decisive majority, the vote standing 352 against 177 for waterworks. The city is already heavily burdened with taxes, which explains the heavy majority against the proposition. The vote was made in this line, a handsome one, the French Kid Button Box for ladies at \$1.50 a pair, at Powers' Shoe Store. July 27-d&wtf
Remember
That you can buy this line of Silverware at a fourth of what it is worth. This is your chance. E. D. BARTHOLOMEW.
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REPUBLICANS ORGANIZED FOR THE CAMPAIGN—THREE SPEECHES.
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Dinner Wars.
Our fall line of Dinner Ware is arriving and are the most beautiful at the low prices that will place our China department on a rapid success. In this connection we want to say we sell only the "foreign makes" of China and porcelain and no "crassable" goods. China cannot be made in this country that will not "crass" at least they never have been successful in this line yet, and we wish to avoid the errors others have made in this line, are handling only the imported makes with a "century's reputation."
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L. F. SKEELLY, Sec'y.
The Innman Restaurant.
John Innman has returned to his old location and business, having succeeded Charles Griffith, as proprietor of the popular Innman restaurant at 130 South Main street. Mr. Innman is now in possession and will be pleased to serve all old and new friends. A genuine French Kid Button Box for ladies at \$1.50 a pair, at Powers' Shoe Store. July 27-d&wtf
That Goat
Oxford for ladies, in tan or red, don'ty made to close out; Pangloss & Smith's make, worth \$2 and \$2.25, sacrificed at \$1.25 a pair. Cost, profits, actual value, all ignored in our great season ending sale. We have some of the best goods made and at prices that will sell. French Kid Button Box for ladies at \$1.50 a pair, at Powers' Shoe Store. July 27-d&wtf
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Scroggins Better.
Superior Whitley of Hartstown, in the city today, stated that Tom L. Scroggins, who was seriously hurt recently, is getting along as well as could be expected, and unless blood-poisoning sets in, he will recover. The wire-out in the arm is healing rapidly.
Committee Meeting.
The county board building committee, as well as the committee on the bridge, met to-day to inspect work in progress and take action on riding the new

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John Innman has returned to his old location and business, having succeeded Charles Griffith, as proprietor of the popular Innman restaurant at 130 South Main street. Mr. Innman is now in possession and will be pleased to serve all old and new friends. A genuine French Kid Button Box for ladies at \$1.50 a pair, at Powers' Shoe Store. July 27-d&wtf
That Goat
Oxford for ladies, in tan or red, don'ty made to close out; Pangloss & Smith's make, worth \$2 and \$2.25, sacrificed at \$1.25 a pair. Cost, profits, actual value, all ignored in our great season ending sale. We have some of the best goods made and at prices that will sell. French Kid Button Box for ladies at \$1.50 a pair, at Powers' Shoe Store. July 27-d&wtf
Remember
That you can buy this line of Silverware at a fourth of what it is worth. This is your chance. E. D. BARTHOLOMEW.
This excess of immigration this year over last was thirty thousand; a large number were from Russia.

Scroggins Better.
Superior Whitley of Hartstown, in the city today, stated that Tom L. Scroggins, who was seriously hurt recently, is getting along as well as could be expected, and unless blood-poisoning sets in, he will recover. The wire-out in the arm is healing rapidly.
Committee Meeting.
The county board building committee, as well as the committee on the bridge, met to-day to inspect work in progress and take action on riding the new

CONKLIN & HOUSUM,
Wall Paper and Room-Mouldings
COMPETENT
Paper Hangers and Frescoers.

JOHNSTON'S,

151 North Water Street.

WE ARE MAKING
A DESPERATE EFFORT

To close out everything in the way of
SUMMER GOODS before the arrival
of our Fall Goods.

An Opportunity for Bargains Now.

BIG LOT OF REMNANTS CHEAP.

DRESS GOODS. EMBROIDERIES.

Suit Patterns, 10 yds, Chansbury (Ging) and Emb, to match, \$1.48 suit; were worth \$2.00
The finer grade of Half Wool Challies, handsome designs, 1½; reduced from 25c.
All Wool French Challies, handsome patterns, were 65c, at 42c.
One lot of Fancy Figured Chum Silks, were 65c, 75c and 85c, at 45c yard.
Canton Cloths and Mousselines, were 15c and 20c, at 12½c.
Black Plaid and Stripe Lawns, were 15c and 20c, at 12½c.
Zephyr Gingham, were 20c and 25c; reduced to 15c yard.

UNDERWEAR.
Ladies' Ribbed Vests, were 15c, at 10c each.
Men's French Balbriggan Underwear, was \$1.00 a suit, at 75c a suit.
Ladies' Maslin Underwear, all garments reduced in price.
HOSIERY.
Ladies' Fine Cotton Hose, fancy tops, black boots, were 35c, now 21c pair.
Ladies' Fast Black Hose, double heel and toe, 25c a pair.
Men's Fast Black Hose, were 30c, at 12½c a pair.
SHIRT WAISTS.
This stock is badly broken and we have made prices to close them out. Secure ours before they are gone.

Chas. T. Johnston.

151 North Water Street.

-FIRE-

Prices are not to be compared
with prices made by

JOHN FINN

+ Family Groceries. +

Trade with a Live Grocer, whose
stock is constantly turning, and be
assured of getting FRESH GOODS.
GOODS DELIVERED PROMPTLY.

+JOHN FINN,+
333 North Water Street, Gallagher Block.
TELEPHONE 341.

ARE YOU GOING TO BUY

MANTEL Our stock is New, and we carry the best selections of Hearths and Facing in the city.
REFRIGERATOR We have the coolest and dryest made. The ventilation is perfect. Don't fail to see them.

Gasoline Stove The Reliable Process large stove is the best make on the market. We also have small Reliable stoves, one two and three burners; all guaranteed.

GAS STOVE No Gas stove or Range is as well made and as simple as the Reliable. Recommended by all who use them.

Lawn Mower The Pennsylvania, the standard of Lawn Mowers, is the only one that will give satisfaction.

Builders' Hardware If you are building don't fail to see the fine Bronze Goods we are carrying.

Estimates to Contractors. Our Prices Always the Lowest.

+C. L. GRISWOLD & CO.+

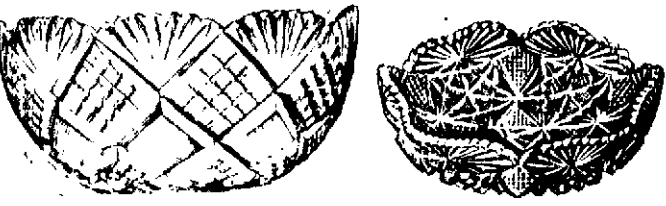
If You Want Good Bread
ALWAYS ASK
YOUR DEALER FOR
ONE OF THESE
BRANDS OF FLOUR.
They are the best in the market. Every sack guaranteed. For sale by all grocers.

CUT GLASS.



We have the Greatest Line of CUT GLASS Ever Shown Here.

THE PRICES ARE LOWER Than you have been accustomed to seeing.



OTTO E. CURTIS & BRO., Second Floor, China Department.

A MIDSUMMER Summer Night's Dream

Is fully realized in the purchase of some of the Cool Garments we have to offer for the Midsummer Sultry Days at CLOSING OUT PRICES.

Light-Weight Coats and Vests, Neglige Shirts, Balbriggan and Gauze Underwear, Straw Hats.

EVERYTHING OFFERED AT PRICES TO MAKE YOUR PURSE STRINGS LOOSEN.

BRYAN, JONES & CO., 4 Doors West of Post Office.

1892-1855-37

Sugar-cured Boneless BREAKFAST BACON and HAMS, free from cloth or paper wrappings.

Imboden Bros.

DON'T LOSE SIGHT OF THIS

Bargain Sale.

--MEN'S WORK SHOES--

At 85c a Pair, this Week.

WE HAVE JUST RECEIVED ANOTHER BIG LOT OF CHILDREN'S RED OXFORDS.

WALTER HUTCHIN

North Water St. Sign of the Big Shoe.

DAILY REPUBLICAN.

ICE CREAM SODA.

Our fountain is now Open, and we are dispensing the Finest ICE CREAM SODA in the City.

KING & WOOD.

MONDAY EVE. AUG. 1, 1902.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

We are authorized to announce that J. H. ... We are authorized to announce that J. H. ... We are authorized to announce that J. H. ...

ITEMS OF INTEREST.

The Alaska

Refrigerator is no constructed that no fifth can accommodate. It is always sweet and clean and requires no attention.

Dress & Bon. Tailors.

Turn, 28-Hooks & Moore, Dentists. This is prohibitory day in the county court.

Smokes the old reliable K. & W. cigars.

The Rush for Denver will begin Wednesday.

St. Louis, Miss. Lucas, Fans, to close, at Anthony & Webb's. dtf

PLAN to see the Georgia Minstrels Wednesday night at the Grand.

THE new location of May & Churchman, grocers, is in the Syndicate Block. dtf

Max's Sash Vests—Anthony & Webb's. dtf

Max's 1/2 Dressed Shirts, only \$1.00, at Anthony & Webb's. dtf

TELEPHONE for family groceries at May & Churchman in the Syndicate Block. dtf

CATS, for the Joseph Michl Bonquet and Little Rose cigars. They are the smokers and can be had anywhere in the city.

A FINE line of fruits and vegetables every day at May & Churchman's grocery store in the Syndicate Block. dtf

THE regular meeting of the city council will be held this evening at 8 o'clock at the city hall.

FOR a good hard well and one that will have less cracks than any other use Rock Plaster Co. dtf

HOW Bayless House 18, 25 and 30 cents at Anthony & Webb's. dtf

THE temperature was above 80 Sunday and it is a strain to-day, but the breeze which is stirring makes it feel as if the temperature is much lower.

WANT—Five carpenters. Apply to A. Adams at 535 Union avenue, or at 526 North Church street. 24-434

MUCH time is money—you can save much time by using Rock Plaster on your building. Manufactured by Decatur Rock Plaster Co. dtf

GOING to Denver with Decatur Knights Templar via the T. H. & P. you will have through cars without change. No change of cars at Kansas City, as via other routes. 1-41

THE first stereoscopic exhibition by G. W. Leitch will be given to-night at the English Lutheran church. The audience room was crowded last night at the Congregational church.

KIRK flying has become popular with the small boy, but he should remember that there is an ordinance against flying kites in the street. If the boy won't have full freedom he must go away out in the country on the prairie.

THE J. H. Oliver residence property on North Edward street has been sold to W. E. Collins for \$4100. It is the purpose of Mr. Oliver to erect a new home at the corner of King and College streets, one block south and one block west.

THE distention of the stomach which many people feel after eating, may be due to improper mastication of the food; but, in most cases, it indicates a weakness of the digestive organs, the best remedy for which is one of Ayer's Pills, to be taken after dinner.

THE new at the dining park will commence on the 10th. The grounds are now inside the city limits, and the police will have full power to enforce their authority against all offenders, should any make their appearance.

THE Wahab R. R. announces another of their popular cheap excursions for Sunday, Aug. 21. This time they will reverse the trip, going by rail to Quincy and by the steamer Josephine to Hannibal and Hannibal Cave. The rate will be the same, \$2 for the round trip.

VARIOUS labor organizations met Sunday and laid plans for a creditable observance of Labor Day at the fair grounds on Sept. 5th. There will be a great parade. It will not be a Federal affair. Every union will be invited to participate.

WATER the water pipes are being laid across Lincoln Square the electric street cars will have to transfer pretty often. The cars will not run over the deep trenches that will be dug. It will be too dangerous. Perhaps some of the cars will have to stay out all night on the various branches.

THE Song of the Wahab. Look at the map. A short glance will convince you that the Wahab is the shortest line to all western points. From August 2d to 7th, inclusive, we sell tickets at the following low rates. The round trip tickets are good returning until Oct. 11. Denver round trip tickets are good going via Kansas City and returning via Omaha, or vice versa: Kansas City, one way, \$6. Kansas City, round trip, \$8. Denver, one way, \$12. Denver, round trip, \$14. We will sell tickets to all western points at greatly reduced rates. Come and see us at city ticket office or Union depot before starting on your journey. dtf

A. C. FOSBERG, F. and T. A.

THOUSANDS GOING TO DENVER.

No Less Than 180 Special Trains to Be Sent to the West.

Extensive preparations are being made by the western roads to carry out the crowds that are sure to take advantage of the cheap rates to Denver and return on account of the Knights Templar excursion. Every passenger car that can be had will be put into service, and innumerable special trains will keep the route hot for several days between Chicago and the Rocky mountains says the News. Out of Chicago there will be thirty special trains run by the Rock Island, thirty by the Burlington, about thirty-five by the Alton, at least a dozen by the Atchafalpa, and an equal number by the Northwestern and Maple Leaf. Almost as many more will leave St. Louis over the Missouri Pacific, the Webbs, the Burlington, the Alton and the Erie. In addition to these many specials will be run from other points, and the dwellers west of the Missouri river will have more business than they have ever before called upon to handle before in the limited space of time allotted to them. It is estimated that in addition to their regular trains the roads entering Denver will take into that city from all directions no less than 190 special trains on account of the excursion.

Thousands of the pilgrims from the east will break their journey in Chicago for a breathing spell. The Michigan Central alone will bring in thirty special trains, and all will stop at Chicago long enough to visit the World's Fair grounds. A similar programme has been arranged for those coming in by other roads.

PUT IN JAIL.

Found Convicted on Two Separate Charges of Wife Beating.

The jury failed to convict Charles T. Freund on the charge of insanity in the county court Saturday evening, but he did not fare so well in Justice Hamner's court this forenoon when he was drawn and broiled over the legal coals for beating his wife on two separate occasions.

Found is a small man of exceedingly high temper, and it has been his custom to adopt prize ring practices at his home quite frequently. Neighbors took offense in hand, as it appeared to them that the wife was so completely covered by the thumps of her husband to even enter a protest in the ear of an officer. Freund is now in jail, and is likely to remain there for six months in default of \$500 bail. He had his trial in Justice Hamner's court on the two wife-beating charges, but his wife did not appear against him. There was enough convicting evidence without her, and despite the efforts of Attorney Hill, who appeared for Freund, he was convicted. Bail in each case was fixed at \$250, and there was a fine of \$1 and costs for assault in one case.

Freund, when put behind the bars, told Sheriff Perl that he would not be able to stay alive in jail six months; that he would be dead in a few weeks. It is said the prisoner is in a poor state of health, but last week he was not so bad but that he could whip his wife. Rather Tough. At Riverside Park last evening a lady whose name could not be learned made a great row about losing her pocketbook. She was looking for it, when a young lady stooped to pick up a pocket handkerchief she had dropped. She had a companion, and the elderly lady accused the girls of having stolen her money. Both protested their innocence until when the case reached Lincoln Square, Officers Imboden and Matherpugh took Miss Brown and Miss Keating in custody and took them off to head quarters where they were kept until nearly 12 o'clock. They were allowed to depart when it became reasonably certain that the girls were guiltless. Both girls were highly indignant that they should be arrested and detained.

Home from the West.

Justice A. C. Stevens, who started for the west on a pleasure trip June 1st, arrived home this morning, having been absent two months to-day. On the way out he stopped off at Kansas City, Denver, Salt Lake, Ogden and other points, going thence to Portland, Ore. The Justice looks greatly refreshed by the journey and returns to his office in Powers' Block ready to balance the scales of justice evenly and with impartiality.

Splendid Fishing.

Local fishermen report fishing at the river as splendid. One gentleman on Sunday afternoon in four hours caught a string of twenty-nine croppies and one bass, probably the largest string of fish caught at the Sangamon for years. Comodore Hall went to the river at 6 o'clock this morning and claims to have caught twenty croppies before 9 o'clock.

Barley Mares New Home.

Hayley R. Marie, the well-known traveling salesman for the wholesale grocery house of Young Bros. & Munsie, expects to take possession of his new residence on Center street within a month. It will be a handsome two-story structure of eight rooms, and will be fitted with all modern improvements. The house will cost when finished \$2500.

A Foot Race.

Sunday evening about 300 people assembled at the Association race track north of the city to witness a foot race between a colored man and a white man for \$25 a side. The colored man won. It was an easy task for him. He won away past him and turned around and gave him the laugh.

A Charming Day.

Yesterday was as typical a summer resort day as could possibly be desired by the most fastidious devotee of the northern climate during the summer months. It was cool, pleasant, invigorating and delightful in the extreme. It was what they had been appropriately called a perfect day.

Guaranteed.

Every place of this silverware is guaranteed full silver-plated on white metal, and if in any instance you find it is not as we represent it, you can return the goods and get your money. E. D. BATHOLMEW.

Shovels and Scoops.

We have a great quantity of Shovels and Scoops that are but slightly damaged by smoke and water, which we will sell cheap. aug-1-dw LUTHER & BUCKLEY H'D'N CO.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Frank Watkins is in Montana. Don Chamberlain is on the sick list. Miss Minnie Bachman is on the sick list.

O. O. Judson is in Freeport on business.

C. H. Tyler visited Lanesville to-day on business.

Mrs. Charles Freund is somewhat improved to-day.

Fred Harpster of Clinton was in the city over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Shilling are visiting at St. Louis, Mo.

Mr. Ed. Sturt is entertaining Mrs. M. Leath of Mason City.

Attorney A. M. Taylor spent Sunday with relatives in Clinton.

Ben Freeman is spending a two weeks' vacation at Mount Vernon.

Miss Frances Griggs is in Thornton visiting Miss Hamilton.

Henry Daddan, of Los Angeles, California, is at the St. Nicholas.

Dr. E. W. Moore visited Ninette to-day on professional business.

Mrs. George Bell is in Farmer City visiting Mrs. Eugene McClure.

Miss Nellie and Forrest Eile are visiting relatives in Shelby county.

Mrs. Walter L. Towling and daughter are visiting relatives in the west.

Miss Pearl Pinckard, of Monticello, died at the St. Nicholas to-day.

Mrs. M. E. Dulleant is seriously ill at her home on West William street.

Miss Evelyn Martin, of Chicago, is in the city visiting Mrs. Steve Elbert.

Charles Silas, of East St. Louis, was in the city Sunday visiting friends.

James Gogerty, Washburn yardmaster, has gone to New York City on a visit.

Miss Mina Thompson is entertaining Miss Jennie Simpson of Springfield.

Miss Carrie Leonard departed this morning for Boston to be gone until fall.

Dr. Will Barnes, wife, child and nurse, departed last night for Denver, Colorado.

Daniel Eile went to Benson to-day in the interest of the C. B. Prescott music house.

Rev. James Miller, pastor of the First M. E. church, will take a vacation of two weeks.

John E. Patterson, of the Arcade, left this morning for Canada to visit his mother.

Janitor Carter of the court house is able to be out again, after a long spell of sickness.

E. W. Hellman, who is in business in Chicago, spent Sunday in Decatur with his family.

Dr. John H. Ulrich visited Mr. Zion and Harvey City to-day on professional business.

C. T. Haigh went to Champaign to-day in the interest of the Decatur Rock Plaster Company.

Miss Amy Penhalligon of Chicago is in the city visiting Rev. W. H. Penhalligon and family.

W. W. Griffin, of Wagona, is in the city visiting his friend, Charles Dennison for several days.

Charles Cornum, of Forrest, is in the city, and is being cordially greeted by his many friends.

Mrs. O. B. Gorn and daughter, Miss Emma, returned to-day from a visit with friends in Clinton.

N. A. Buckingham, of Jacksonville, supervising architect of the new court house, is in the city.

Attorney O. E. Harris is in St. Louis, Ill., on professional business. He will be absent several days.

Harry Soulehan returned from Freeport, Ill., where he was out of present visiting us at the St. Nicholas.

Prof. B. B. Leonard and Dick Leonard will leave for Denver with the Knights Templar on Wednesday.

Miss Inez Berry has returned to her home in Hillsboro after a visit with her cousin, Mrs. Daniel Eile.

Mrs. Noah Mathews of Springfield has been visiting Decatur relatives. She will leave to-day for her home in Pekin.

Miss Nellie James, who has been in the city visiting Mrs. Frank M. Young, left to-day for her home in Pekin.

Dr. Kilkerry and daughter and Mr. Dunn and son are in the city for Ireland. They will return in the fall.

W. L. Shellbarger and wife, Mrs. O. P. Thatcher and Miss Marie Shellbarger are in Chicago and Lake Bluff.

C. M. Wieg, of Bement, Harry Randolph, of Lincoln, and A. J. Travis, of Pana, were at the St. Nicholas to-day.

Frank Collins, son of W. H. Collins, North Jackson street, whose home is at Grand Island, Neb., is visiting his parents.

J. A. Penhalligon, who has been in the city visiting his cousin, Rev. W. H. Penhalligon, left to-day for his home in Chicago.

Bob Hays and Thad Schroeder will leave within several days for Denver and Manitou Springs, Colorado, to be absent several weeks.

Misses Zella and Emma Evers, accompanied by Mrs. Robert Larimore, returned this morning from "Bunnyside" farm, near Forsyth.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Ferra left to-day for Madison, where they will remain a week or ten days enjoying the delightful fishing at that place.

Miss Mary Nesbit, of Decatur, on Saturday graduated from the high school in Chicago. There were about 20 other graduates in the class.

Barney Gilligan, pipefitter on hose wagon at the department, expects to leave to-day for New York City and Brooklyn, where he will visit relatives.

Miss Laura Williams is confined to her home, No. 788 East Decatur street, prostrated by a nervous trouble which appears to be of a serious character.

H. E. Sattle, formerly with Linn & Sprague, is in the city enjoying his vacation. Dick is a salesman in a large dry goods house in Chicago and is doing well.

D. M. Ribber and family, who have been in the city visiting R. D. Wilson and family at their home in Riverside Place, returned to-day to their home in Blue Mount.

Misses Sarah and Louis Boyd and Althea Fuller have returned from Lake Minnetonka, Minn., where they have been for several weeks visiting Miss Mae Johnson.

Mrs. T. W. Douglas returned to-day to her home in Peoria. She has been in the city about a week, and has been very successful in her business.

Senator and Mrs. Kays of New Jersey are guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Downing, north of the city. The senator is a relative of Mrs. Downing. He has been in the Rocky Mountain region and is on his way west.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Pollock on North Edward street, August 1, 1892, at 1:30 p. m., a daughter. Pollock says he is not a doctor, but he is a day-to-day at lower rates than ever, all on account of the arrival of the little queen.

Champaign Gazette: F. E. Moore, the substitute pharmacist, who has been employed in Henry's drug department, for one month and over, left to-day for Decatur, for a few weeks' work. He will go from there to Springfield and then back to Chicago. He made many friends while here.

The American Express employees were a little surprised when they saw when Driver Ed. Bane passed around the cigars and with a genial smile announced that it was a gift. Nevertheless this was the case, and the driver has to-day with a bright, glowing daughter. Call around and get a cigar.

Amos Ekwensine will represent the Decatur printers at the K. P. convocation at Chicago.

THE NEW YORK EVENING POST.

The New York Evening Post Soft Soap the Printers, But Slaps the Union's Face.

New York, July 30.—Grover Cleveland's personal organ, the Evening Post, will have nothing to do with organized labor. For years the Post's composing room has been non-union. Recently that mugwump journal, in the effort to bolster the declining cause of its prophet, has been saying nice things for the workingmen. Believing that the Post might be a member of the Typographical Union No. 6, of this city, took steps to bring about the unionizing of the Post's composing room. A committee to carry on the negotiations was appointed, and this committee has just received a slap in the face, which the union will be apt to resent at the first opportunity. The Post to-day prints the letters and seems to take a great deal of satisfaction in its declared antipathy to workingmen.

Rev. M. D. Hawes sick.

Rev. M. D. Hawes, presiding elder of the Decatur district of the Illinois conference, M. E. church, was attacked last Thursday with a bowel trouble, which at the first was not severe, and it was hoped that it would yield to simple remedies. This however proved a disappointment, and by Saturday morning Mr. Hawes was quite sick and was placed under the care of a physician. Dr. King remained with the patient almost constantly. Sunday afternoon he was much worse and in the evening suffered quite an alarming sinking spell, and was only revived by the use of stimulants. Dr. W. J. Chenoweth was called in consultation. Though not out of danger, Mr. Hawes is now holding his own and will not doubt recover, unless more unfavorable symptoms appear. When he was so rapidly growing worse it was thought best to summon his relatives, and in response to telegrams sent out Sunday evening two sisters, Mrs. Charles Rees and Mrs. Newland of Springfield, and a brother, A. S. W. Hawes of Danville, are at the home of the sick brother, No. 1025 North Edward street.

In the Swim.

An accident happened Saturday evening at the Riverside Boat company's landing at the river to two parties which will cause them in the future to be a little more careful how they step from a boat to the landing. The parties aforementioned were a gallant Chinaman and a young lady who is at present visiting us in this city. They had been out for a delightful boat ride on the river and returning had rowed their boat up to the landing to alight. The young man stood up and turned to take some fishing poles out of the boat, when all at once there was a splash. The young man turned again and noticing a feather floating on the surface of the river looked for his companion. Alas, she was missing but she soon appeared out on the surface of the water. Immediate efforts were made for her rescue. She was helped to the river and was soon over the effects of her unexpected plunge into the river. How it happened no one knows but nevertheless it was a wet reality.

Keller for Representative.

In another place in the paper may be found the announcement of Hon. D. P. Keller as a candidate for re-nomination for Representative to the legislature from this district. Mr. Keller needs no introduction to the people of this county and district. He has served them two terms in the house. His record in the house is one that is creditable to him, and shows him to be a man who conscientiously votes for such measures as he believes to be in the interest of his constituents. Should Mr. Keller secure a re-nomination he will be a strong man before the people, as his former running qualities attest.

Found Dead.

On Friday Matthew Blies was found dead in a freight car at Mt. Pleasant. He was 50 years of age and leaves seven sons and daughters. The old gentleman was a farmer who resided near Kenney, and it is supposed he became sick while at Mt. Pleasant and climbed into the car to rest. Deputy Coroner George Campbell held an inquest there Saturday evening.

Out Harvest Half Over.

A little more than half of the oats have been cut so far. The rain of Friday morning caused the reapers to stop all over this vicinity, but they will be started again this morning, unless more rain follows, oats cutting will be entirely over with before Saturday night. Some of the fields were a little green last week, but every field is now ripe for the harvest.

Will Come Again.

Burglars entered the men's furnishing goods store of C. D. Roberts & Co., Saturday night at Springfield, and made an unsuccessful attempt to force the safe. They drilled two holes in it, but failed to reach the lock, and taking \$42 which they found in the cash drawer decamped, leaving tools behind them and a note on top of the safe saying: "Drill too short; will call again."

Belleek China.

We show a very handsome line of Belleek china in white for decorators and in decorated goods. Our imports in artistic goods are arriving now and we shall show you the finest line in the west this season. Otto E. Currie & Bro.

THE LAST CHANCE!

Is Now Offered to Buy EXTRAORDINARY BARGAINS in

SUMMER GOODS

To make room for the Large Invoices of New Fall Goods, which are now arriving daily, we have decided to sell all remaining Summer Goods at about HALF FORMER PRICES.

WE WILL SELL FOR THIS WEEK OUR

- 15c Quality Printed Pongees at - 7c
- 40c French Figured Mousseline at - 25c
- 20c Dragon Black Organdies at - 13c
- 10c Fast Color Challies at - 5c
- 12c Toile du Nord Gingham at - 8c
- 50c China Silks and Surahs, at - 25c
- \$1.00 Black Silk Grenadines at - 58c
- \$2.50 Silk Sun Umbrellas at - \$1.50
- 20c Satin Plaid India Linen at - 9c
- 10c Children's Summer Vests at - 5c
- 15c Ladies' Jersey Ribbed Vests at 7c
- 65c French All Wool Challies at - 49c
- 25c Fine Figured Tissues at - 12c
- \$1.50 Ladies' Waists at - \$1.00

All Remnants will be CLOSED OUT at about Half Price.

LYNN & SCRUGGS DRY GOODS & CARPET COMPANY.

AGENTS FOR The Celebrated "Centemeri" Kid Gloves, the Golden Rule Black Silk, The Hercules White Shirts and Butterick's Patterns.

OUR ANNUAL "CLEARING SALE!"

Now begins on all goods for summer wear. We have Ladies' Oxfords in all styles, and everything is marked down 20 per cent. We have so many kinds that it would take the whole side of a newspaper to name them all and give the prices. We have the goods and We Want the Cash Out of them.

The season has been backward and unfavorable to the sale of Ladies' Low Shoes, consequently we must put prices on them to make them go. We commence to get in our fall goods next month and we must have room for them. We have consequently marked all Summer Goods away down low to prices which will make them go. Come and get bargains. You won't think you ever before secured a bargain in your life when you see the bargains we offer.

FERRISS & LAPHAM,

148 East Main Street.

Save Your Sox. Bathing Socks for Ladies, 50c a pair, at Powers'.

YOUR CHOICE FOR 25 CENTS 1 Teaspoon, 2 Tablespoons, 3 Desert spoons, 3 Forks, 1 Pickle fork, 1 Napkin ring, 1 Salt and Pepper, 1 Salt cup and Spoon, 1 Individual butter dish, 1 Sugar spoon, 1 Butter knife, 1 Honey, soap match sale, 1 Paper weight, 1 Pin tray, 1 Button hook, 1 Child's Knife, Fork and Spoon.

The above goods are all silver-plated on white metal. It is the greatest bargain in silverware ever offered in Decatur. E. D. BATHOLMEW.

T. H. & P. Low Rates to Kansas City Round trip Decatur to Kansas City, \$9.00 Single trip " " " " \$7.50 Good going August 31 to 7th; good returning until Oct. 11th. Call at T. H. & P. General Ticket office, 352 N. Water st.

Here's What the Plasterers Think of ROCK PLASTER.

WE THE UNDERSIGNED, contracting plasterers, after much experience and observation, take pleasure in testifying to the practical character of ROCK PLASTER, and while it will remove a not inconsiderable amount of business, namely, that of patching, we advocate its use, as it enables us to do work and guarantee the results, and enables us to carry on our trade at all seasons of the year, and modernizes that part of building enterprise which has undergone practically no improvement in the last two thousand years, placing the business of the plasterer on the same footing as that occupied by the other trades through the advent of machinery and improved methods.

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